

Masonic Temple

(Visitors who have not been examined must be in the Temple by seven-fifteen.)

Weekly Calendar

MONDAY—Honolulu Lodge No. 409, stated, 7:30 p. m.
Honolulu Lodge No. 409, special, third degree, 8 p. m.

TUESDAY—Honolulu Chapter No. 1, R. A. M. special, Royal Arch degree, 7:30 p. m.
Masonic Board of Relief, regular, 5 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—

THURSDAY—Honolulu Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., stated, 5 p. m.
Honolulu Lodge No. 409, special, first degree, 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY—

SATURDAY—Lei Aloha Chapter No. 3, O. E. S., stated, 7:30 p. m.

SCHOFIELD LODGE

SATURDAY—

Odd Fellows Hall

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY—Harmony Lodge No. 3, 7:30 p. m. Regular order of business.

TUESDAY—Excelsior Lodge No. 1, 7:30 p. m. Installation of officers of the two subordinate lodges. Banquet and speeches on the roof garden.

WEDNESDAY—Pacific Rebekah Lodge No. 1, 7:30 p. m. Installation drill for members of the team.

THURSDAY—Pacific Rebekah Lodge No. 1, 7:30 p. m. Installation of officers. Banquet and dancing on the roof garden.

HONOLULU LODGE NO. 1, MODERN ORDER OF PHOENIX will meet at their home, corner of Beretania and Fort streets, every Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.
J. W. ASCH, Leader.
FRANK MURRAY, Secretary.

HONOLULU LODGE NO. 1, B. P. O. E. meets in their hall on King St., near Fort, every Friday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
JAS. H. FIDDES, E. R.
H. DUNSHIE, Sec.

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Honolulu Lodge, No. 1
Versammlungen in K. of P. Hall
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C. BOLTE, Sekr.

MYSTIC LODGE NO. 2, K. of P.
Meets in Pythian Hall, corner Fort and Beretania streets, every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited.
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GROVE FARM ON KAUAI SHOWING SPLENDID CORN

LIHUE, Kauai, July 8.—At the very beginning of the agitation for food production on a large scale, Grove Farm plantation, Lihue, planted a piece of fine cane land as an object lesson to its employees as to what could be done in raising food crops.

Manager Broadbent planted a field of Australian corn, among other things, and this field now stands practically as high as the cane in an adjoining field. Many have pronounced it the finest corn ever seen in the islands. The corn is now in tassel and the prospects are that the yield will be a large one.

The demonstration is a striking one of what might be accomplished with careful selection of seed and varieties, and the use of advanced agricultural methods on good lands.

The tract used for the experiment is being farmed by school boys during the summer. The boys are paid a stipulated price per day and will be paid a bonus for fulfilling certain conditions.

Under this arrangement the boys are taught the practical methods of agriculture, and are employed under the existing labor conditions of the territory, where industry is rewarded and thrift is encouraged.

All the vegetables planted are growing finely and give promise of a plentiful production.

There has been no further report of deaths from anthrax during the past few days, and there is some doubt as to this case reported at Niumalu recently.

At the present time there are no signs of any of the cattle being infected, and the microscopic tests were not conclusive. The first tests showed no traces of the germ, and the condition of the organs was not like that of the animals examined during the Hawaiian outbreak. Every precaution is being taken to guard against any infection.

LOCAL CHINESE FAVOR REPUBLIC

General D. J. Wudan, prominent Nationalist, and one of the leading figures in the republican government in China, has returned to Shanghai from Peking, and with Dr. Sun Yat Sen and other leaders of the party are organizing forces for another revolution. This is the word received by one of the Honolulu members of the National party today.

General Wudan, who has lived in Honolulu for a number of years, went to China last year after Yuan Shih-Kai's death, and became a prominent figure in the Nationalist party. He writes that the power of the Manchus prevails only in the north, and he is confident that the republic will soon be placed on a solid footing.

Local supporters of a republican government will raise a fund to support the campaign which will be waged by Dr. Sun Yat Sen. Five military governors in the south of China have revolted against the monarchy and will take the field to fight for the restoration of the republic.

"The whole power of the Manchus is wrapped up in a few military governors," said a prominent Chinese today. "These governors want a monarchy, but the people in the provinces favor a republic. Militarism in China has disrupted the whole military system. When this evil system is eradicated China will progress, and not until then."

BRITONS CALLED ON TO ENLIST

Blank forms will be sent out this week by E. L. S. Gordon, consul for Great Britain, to all British subjects of military age, 18 to 41, in the territory, asking if they are willing to volunteer for service in the British or Canadian forces, and requesting them for fuller information as to their qualifications, physical condition and military experience.

The consul said Saturday that there are more than 100 British subjects in the islands within the age limit, and that a special appeal will be made to them to volunteer. "We are also planning to raise a fund for supporting the families of those who go," he said. Brig-Gen. W. A. White, head of the British recruiting commission in the United States, is making an active campaign for voluntary enlistment on the mainland, and Consul Gordon hopes a representative will be sent to Honolulu to work here along the same line.

'Y' JOINS MOVE TO SAVE FOOD

The Y. M. C. A. cafeteria has acted along the lines of conserving the local food supply. A sign which appeared Saturday on the cafe bulletin board reads as follows:

We believe in President Wilson's food bill and in Mr. Herbert C. Hoover.
We believe in the Conservation of food as an aid to our country's cause.
To cooperate as fully as possible with our local and national government, we have:
1. Eliminated all sundry wastes possible.
2. Discontinued the serving of veal.
We believe these measures of saving are necessary at the present time and will not inconvenience our patrons.

KAPAA LAND WINNERS ARE DENIED GRANT

Land Commissioner Rejects Several Names on Ground Husband and Wife are Prohibited From Applying in Same Area; Legal Contest Threatened

Because Walter A. Engle, acting land commissioner, has rejected the name of one of the successful applicants for Kapaia Homestead lots, Mrs. Julia Loane, legal proceedings seem pending and are likely to hinder seriously the drawing which was set for next Wednesday. A number of other names have also been rejected on similar grounds.

Judge Alexander Lindsay, Jr., Mrs. Loane's attorney, stated today that action will probably be taken with a view to having the rejection annulled. Mrs. Loane, who drew No. 13, was rejected by the land official because her husband, Don Loane, had also filed an application. Engle's action was taken upon the advice of Arthur G. Smith, acting attorney general.

Mrs. Margaret M. H. Evans, who drew No. 6, has also been rejected, her husband, Luther A. K. Evans, having filed application and drawn No. 817. Evans said today he might also institute proceedings if he can find other rejected persons to go in with him.

Former Mayor John C. Lane, 227, and his wife, Alice K. Lane, 438, have also been refused as applicants. Others rejected are William C. Avery, principal of Lihue high school, and Margaret M. Avery, who drew 585 and 648 respectively.

Edward Hopkins, recent candidate for sheriff on the Republican ticket, drew 55 and has had his chance canceled because Mrs. Hopkins, 711, also applied. W. C. Beggin, 309, and Mae Bergin, 161, have been similarly rejected.

William L. Welsh, as trustee for an eight-year-old son, drew No. 32 and has been rejected by advice of the attorney-general's department, upon the ground that a minor cannot acquire homestead land and that trust relations cannot legally exist between the entryman and any other person in respect to the land entered.

William Franklin Keady, No. 9, whose home is in Oregon, will not be able to reach here in time to draw on Wednesday, and a similar fact holds for Jesse G. Miller, an attorney of Walla Walla, Washington.

LUTHER SEVERANCE OF HILO DIES AT AGE OF 81 YEARS

Luther Severance of Hilo, aged 81 years, and a resident of the islands since 1851, died at his home in Hilo yesterday, according to wireless messages received here this morning.

Mr. Severance was widely known throughout the territory, though in advancing years he was not so active in public affairs as formerly. For many years he had been one of Hilo's leading citizens.

He was a native of Augusta, Maine, and leaves a widow, son and daughter. Luther Severance was postmaster of Hilo for many years under the monarchy and the republic. In October, 1863, he married Lucinda M. Clark, daughter of a New England missionary to Hawaii. The golden wedding anniversary was celebrated at their home in Hilo in 1913, when not only did they receive the spoken felicitations of a great concourse of Hilo friends and numbers of others from Honolulu and other parts of the islands, but many congratulations came to them through the mail and by wireless messages and cablegrams from distant points.

H. W. Severance, a brother of Luther, was United States consul-general for the kingdom of Hawaii for some years in the latter part of the monarchy.

GRANT LONGER TIME ON LOAN FUND BIDS

At a brief meeting today the Oahu loan fund commission granted an extension of time to the opening of bids on a Pelton water wheel from July 25 to August 1. The request for further time was made by the Hawaiian Electric company because of the difficulty of getting offers from mainland firms at present.

A letter from Fred Kirchhoff, loan fund engineer, was read at the meeting. Kirchhoff recommended that the specifications for the Hillebrand glen ditch and tunnel project be altered to allow for concrete lining and spill ways to guard against heavy rains. It has been observed that these are necessary as a safety measure in flood time.

"BLIND PIG" SAID TO BE ACTIVE NEAR FORT

Federal and police officials are investigating reports that a "blind pig" is operating near Fort Ruger, but up to press time this afternoon no arrests had been made by Marshal J. J. Smiddy or his deputies. Reports reaching the officials are to the effect that a man, presumably a civilian, had been furnishing liquor to soldiers at the fort, and it is also reported that a cache of pint bottles of whiskey were found near the fort. Rigid investigation will be made by the officials, as well as by the military authorities, to put a stop to the alleged liquor peddling.

DYE WOODS DUTY LESS

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO, CITY, Mex.—The export duty on dye woods from Mexico has been reduced to five pesos a ton.

CHINA PRESIDENT IS MAN OF MUCH TROUBLE

Li Yuan Hung, president of China, and central figure in the recent political upheavals which threatened for a time to develop into revolution.

CHINA DICTATOR MAY MAKE FIGHT

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 9.—It is confirmed here that Feng Kwo Chang is acting president of the provisional Chinese government, with headquarters at Nanking.

PEKING, China, July 9.—General Chang Shun, commanding the monarchial forces, and self-appointed dictator, is provisioning the "Forbidden City" and strengthening it. A division of troops has departed for Fengtau.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 9.—Official dispatches received last night by the Chinese legation here assert that the republicans are firmly re-established in China and that Feng Kwo Chan has been selected as provisional president. The dispatches add that the republicans are reported as converging upon Peking in their advance to dislodge the Manchus and are meeting with little or no resistance.

London advices of cablegrams received there say that the despatch stating that the boy emperor had abdicated has been confirmed.

(Special Cable to Nippon Jiji)
TOKIO, Japan, July 9.—Abdication, after a reign of a week's duration, of Hsuan Tung, the 12 year old boy emperor of China, was confirmed today in the despatches from Peking. The reign of the Manchu ruler came to an end early yesterday afternoon, when General Chang Shun determined not to support the Manchu regime any longer.

Hsuan Tung was placed on the throne July 1, when General Chang marched his troops to the palace and proclaimed the restoration of the monarchy in China. Meanwhile Li Yuan Hung, president of the Chinese republic, was forced to resign. He took refuge, fearing assassination by Chang's men, in the Japanese legation, where he still remains under the protection of Baron G. Hayashi, the Japanese minister to China. It is believed here, will not be restored as president, but some other strong man will be named to succeed him.

Local Chinese believe that the trouble in China is over, and expect that with some strong figure placed in the president's chair, the republic will continue to progress. A prominent Chinese in Honolulu said this morning that Feng Kwo Chang (or Feng Kwo Chan), the present vice-president, is the logical man for the place as chief executive.

Fung Kwo Chong is a native of Nanking, and for a number of years was military governor of Kiangsu. He is popular with all parties in China, and although he is not a Nationalist, would perhaps receive the hearty support of this party, according to one of the National leaders in this city.

MEN IN TRENCHES TO HAVE CHEWING GUM

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Soldiers in the trenches of Europe are going to have their chewing gum. An order for 1,020,000 packages has been placed with an American firm. It is said the gum steadies the soldiers' nerves.

NOTICE

Selection of Kapaia Homestead lots which was to have taken place at Kapaia Courthouse at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, July 11th, 1917, has been indefinitely postponed.

W. A. ENGLE, Acting Commissioner of Public Lands. 6833-2t

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TEUTON ATTACKS BEATEN; DISEASE RAVAGES TURKS

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

NEW YORK, July 9.—Uniform reports of Allied successes from all the fronts tell the story of yesterday, a day which was thoroughly satisfactory to the Entente Powers. Important repulses were inflicted upon the Teutons by the French, the British were successful in a fierce air battle in which they brought down many machines and the Russians launched an attack along a thirty mile front and repulsed the fierce efforts of the Huns to regain lost ground on other points, while reports from Saloniki say that the Turkish army is in a serious plight from epidemics and shortage of food supplies that approach starvation, owing to failure of the commissary.

Repeated efforts of the crown prince to regain the line of the Chemins des Dames were gallantly repulsed by the French forces yesterday. General Petain's men took still more ground east of Cerney on the Eastern end of Alsace front by a series of fierce drives and infantry charges following heavy artillery fire.

Northeast of Verdun on the left bank of the Meuse the French carried on a strong and successful offensive during the whole of yesterday and carried by storm three salients. In Galicia it is reported that artillery fire and infantry attacks are increasing in force with advantage to the Allies during the day.

Along the British front in France there were several small raids, but the infantry attacks were unimportant. British airmen were active, however. They successfully broke through the German air squadrons and raided several airdomes and troop depots. In the day's fighting they successfully drove down sixteen machines and put ten others out of control. Eight British machines are reported missing.

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WARD OF QUEEN CALLED BY DEATH

John Almoku Dominis, a ward of Queen Liliuokalani and one of the trustees of the Liliuokalani Trust, died on Saturday afternoon after a long illness and on Sunday the remains were cremated.

Friends and relatives of the deceased gathered for the funeral services which were held yesterday in St. Andrew's cathedral. Rev. Leopold Kroil officiated at the services.

Following a long illness which developed into a condition which had been regarded as hopeless for several days, Mr. Dominis died shortly before midnight on Saturday night at the McInerny residence at Kahala.

Mr. Dominis was 34 years of age. He was adopted by the queen when 8 months old, and for a long time was under the immediate care of Mrs. Paskinula Bush. He received his education in Iolani College. He married Miss Sybil McInerny, daughter of E. A. McInerny, who survives him with his two daughters. His 80-year-old mother, Mrs. Paskinula Bush, survives him.

For nearly five years Mr. Dominis was a circuit court clerk, being assistant to Clerk Henry Smith in the main office. After leaving this position he entered the insurance business in which he continued until ill health necessitated his giving it up.

NO MORE FLOUR PASTE

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, ENG.—The making of paste from flour for wallpaper or billposting is now prohibited. The repapering of walls is not a domestic enterprise of a patriotic character, according to an official announcement.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii—At Chambers—in Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Cecil Brown, Deceased.

Probate No. 5246.

A Document purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Cecil Brown, late of the City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, deceased, having on the 15th day of June, 1917, been presented to said Probate Court, and a petition for probate thereof, praying for the issuance of Letters of Administration with the Will annexed to Irene K. Dickson of Honolulu aforesaid, having been filed by the said Irene K. Dickson.

It is Ordered that Friday, the 20th day of July, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court at Honolulu, be and the same is hereby appointed the time and place for proving said Will and hearing said application.

By the Court: H. A. WILDER, Clerk.

HOLMES & OLSON; THOMPSON, MILVERTON & CATHART. Attorneys for Petitioner. 6815-June 18, 25, July 2, 9.

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